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TO: Chief, FDS  
FROM: Chief, Baltic Desk  
SUBJECT: Our conversation regarding Bruno KALNINS

1. During our conversation you wondered whether any proof was available to support the allegations that KALNINS is a Communist agent. Such proof has never been available. However, OPC has in its files the attached translations of excerpts from Latvian newspapers published in 1940 during the first Soviet Occupation of Latvia. The first excerpt also contains a picture showing Bruno KALNINS in uniform with the commentary that KALNINS is the Army political leader.

2. As yet, no information is available regarding any knowledge KALNINS may have of our activities in Sweden as well as in Lithuania, although further attempts are being made to determine the extent of his knowledge, if any.

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